



REPORT OF THE TOWN ADMINISTRATOR

Once again I want to express my appreciation to our residents and Town employees for your support of our community.

In 2007 we continued to monitor the wells at the Solid Waste Center in conjunction with our engineer and NH DES. Fortunately we did not have to drill more wells.

We ask for property owner's co-operation to post their house numbers in accordance with the E911 implementation. Please contact us if you need information.

Changes have taken place in the Town Hall this year most notably in the Town Clerk/Tax Collector offices with a new counter and a municipal on-line system for motor vehicle registration. An archival program has been activated, and our employees are making preparation for the next census which will take place in 2010. The stage curtain has been replaced after more than 75 years of use.

We were also very fortunate to receive FEMA and NH Emergency Management reimbursements for the 2007 spring floods totaling approximate \$782,000.

Again this year we did not need to borrow funds in the form of tax anticipation.

Aaron Miller a senior at Prospect Mountain High School has participated in a student intern program in conjunction with our Town offices and learning municipal government operations. At the conclusion of this internship he will prepare a report to be presented to the Selectmen. Aaron has also contributed to the preparation of this Town Report. He is the first student enrolled in this program and we wish him well as he continues his education and in his future endeavors.

As always we will continue to meet the needs of our citizens to the best of our abilities, your concerns and suggestions are always welcome. I encourage you to attend public meetings and volunteers are always needed to serve on the Town's various committees, boards and commissions.

Respectfully submitted,

Russell Bailey, Town Administrator